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**REPLY/AMENDMENT  
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Attorney Docket No.	826.1581		
Application Number	09/461,335		
Filing Date	December 15, 1999		
First Named Inventor	Kazuo TANAGUCHI, et al.		
Group Art Unit	2671		
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	506.00	Examiner Name	S. WALLACE

**FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)**

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	16	- 20 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	- 3 =	1	X \$ 86.00 =	86.00
Since an Official Action set an original due date of April 28, 2004, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5 months (\$2,010));					420.00
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$330.00)					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 506.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
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In re the Application of:

Kazuo TANAGUCHI, et al.

Serial No. 09/461,335

Group Art Unit: 2671

Confirmation No. 3674

Filed: December 15, 1999

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For: FIGURE SELECTION METHOD, FIGURE SELECTION DEVICE, AND STORAGE MEDIUM STORING FIGURE SELECTION PROGRAM

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 28, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on April 28, 2004.

A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to June 28, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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